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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. 1—2

Part B for April 18.

SUBJECT.

Appointment of a Successor to Gurushipp of Re Sri Sivaganga Matt.

To, D C. Bangalore, Comptr. & Inwy. Supdt

N° 2792-94. A. 30.4.18.

Approves of the proposal of the Swamigalu of Sri Sivaganga Matt to give "Sanyasa Asrama" to Vedanmurthy Ramasesha Sastry with a view to his eventual nomination as his Successor & Sanctions a sum of Rs 4000/- for expenses of the induction Ceremony, the amount being met as follows,— Rs 2000/- debited to the funds of the Matt; Rs 2000/- from Fd of Sri Gangadhareshwara Swamy Temple Repayable in equal annual instalments.

N° 2795. A. 30.4.18— Copy to the Swamigalu.

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

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FILE HEADING.

Appointment of a Successor to the Gurushipp of the Sri Sivaganga Mutt

From The Swamigalu of the Sivaganga Mutt

No. Sreemukha Dated 14 4 18 Received 20.4.18

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BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Represents that as he is getting old, he intends to appoint his future successor and solicits sanction to the nomination of a boy named Rama Seshu (son of Narayana Sastri and grandson of Sadhu Lakshmi Narayana Sastri of Magadi, now resid at Sivaganga) as his future successor; Also solicits sanction to the grant of a sum of Rs 4000/ for incidental expenses in this connection out of the Mutt funds or from the funds of the Gangadhareswara temple as advance subj to adjustment

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in due course at the rate of Rs 500/- a year.

1 This Sreemukha was presented by the Swamy to His Highness and the same has been forwarded to Govt with Huzur Secy's D O. letter No 2100 of 17.4.18 to the address of the Private Secy to the Dewan, with the observation that "His Highness has been pleased to tell His Holiness that all the requests made therein would be favourably considered and that he would hear from Govt in due course".

2 The affairs of the Mutt are under Govt Management in the Munsif Deptt. (Vide G O No 694-7-Mis 736-93 of 23.12.1893)

3 The titular name of the future Swami is not known. As he is said to be a boy of 9 years old his educational qualifications and other attainments need not be ~~questioned~~ considered

4 The present Swamigalu seems to have been installed as Guru of this Matt during ~~1884~~ 1887 when he was 15 years of age. These [illegible]

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are being traced in the Genl Records and will be put up if found.

5. As the Swami intends to perform the installation ceremony on the 15th May next and solicits early orders, the matter is submitted with the available references to the Branch for orders.

6. As this is an important matter the matter has to go up to H.H as per rules conveyed in G.O No. 233-42 M.F. 102-92 & 14-12-1892

7 For previous references if any and as regards the funds available at the credit of the Mutt, the Supdt's office may also be consulted.

~~xxxxx~~ Orders required on ~~xxxxx~~ two points:—(1) Nomination of a Successor and (2) grant of funds

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The present application for selecting a successor-to-be comes under the purview the 2nd rule in the Set of rules communicated to Matto in Govt Bndgs No 233-42 / MF 102-92 & 14.12.92, as such what is now required is the figures &

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Opinion as to the eligibility of the proposed Candidate. The latter is a Nine Year old boy who will be inducted into "Asoama" on the 15th proximo and will presumably be kept under the direct guidance of the present Swamigalu and given an adequate training for his future position. In his application the Swamigalu says that the management should vest in Govt till the Candidate completes his 22nd year, in case he himself Shakes have passed away. It will have to be understood that such a power now reserved to Govt includes that of educating the future Swami also. — The matt had up to 1893, suffered from bad management and in the present application, the Swamigalu has taken the precaution to provide against such a contingency happening;

As regards expenses for the ceremony of giving "asoama"; the Swamigalu wants 4000 Rs. On 30.6.17 there was a balance of Rs 2,453-14-1 at the credit of the Matt while the Sri Ganga dharma Swami temple at Sirsangi had a balance of Rs 12,323-15-8, of which Rs 9,000 has

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invested in the Nyasa 4st loan (4 p c) to Swamigalu says that Rs500 a year may be taken from the Matt funds towards repayment of the money, if advanced from the temple funds. — There is no precedent as to what the expenses may be expected to amount to. — The present Swamigalu was appointed by his late Guru and the expenses of going "Boarna" then are not known. — From the old records, it seems as if Rs 800 was considered a fair sum for the expenses of the installation of the present Guru and the funeral ceremonial of the late Guru

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Please put up a draft G.O approving of the nomination and sanctioning a grant of Rs 4000 for the expenses of the installation ceremony Rs 2000 from the Matt funds and Rs 2000 as advance from the funds of Ganapathiswamy temple repayable from Matt funds in 4 annual instalments of Rs 500 each.

Also put up a draft Final note

Submit with a D.F.N and a Diff. order

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12 The nominee of the Swamiji is still a boy of tender years with all his education and training before him and it is not possible to judge of his personal fitness. From enquiries I have been able to make here I understand that he comes of a respectable Vaidik family with some amount of Shastric learning and it is likely that the boy will turn out well. He is besides a distant relation of the Swami in his Purvashrama and as the tradition of the Smarta matts is to indeed Brahmacharis into Sanyasa Ashrama, the nomination may be approved.

13 Looking at the unsatisfactory state I would have liked to conduct in person a more detailed enquiry about the fitness and antecedents of the boy and the antecedents of the family but as I understand that the Swami's health is somewhat precarious, it seems to be inexpedient to postpone the induction or delay orders of Govt. on this account.

A draft Govt. order is submitted

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Submitted for approval. I have also submitted a draft final note with a view to avoid delay.

Lee

23.4.18

(1st Member)

Approved.

Lee

23/4

Fair final note signed by the 1st Member & sent up.

DD

23/4/18.

Submitted herewith a D. S. note.

Lee

23.4.18

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Final Note by the First Member of Council

Subject:— Nomination of a successor to the Sri Sivaganga Matt in the Nelamangala Taluk.

Sri Subramanya Abhinava Sachidananda Bharati Swamigalu of Sri Sivaganga Matt was installed in the year 1877 at the early age of 14 and the late Chief Commissioner in his order No.3196/258 dated the 24th December 1877 recognized the succession and sanctioned the continuance of the fixed allowance to the swamigalu. Under Government Proceedings No.694-7/Muz.F.36-93 dated the 23rd December 1893 the properties of the Matt were taken under Government management at the request of the Swamigalu and the management still continues.

2. The Swamigalu has been ailing of late and he is anxious to fix upon a suitable person to succeed him and to educate and train him for the high office. He has selected one Ved. Rama Sesha Sastry, son of Ved. Magadi Narayana Sastry now residing at Sivaganga and he has approached His Highness during his recent visit to Mysore with a prayer that his choice may be approved.

3. The nominee is a boy of nine years and his education and training is all before him but he comes of a responsible Vaideek family and is besides a distant relation of the Sri Swamigalu in his Purva Asrama. The Swamigalu is prepared to make adequate arrangement for the training and education of the boy and under the circumstances the nomination may be graciously approved by His Highness.

4. The Swamigalu also requests that he may be granted Rs.4,00 partly from the Matt funds and partly from the funds of the Sri Gangadhareswara Swami temple at Sivaganga as a loan repayable in

a few years, to meet the expenses of the induction ceremony. The grant may also be sanctioned.

5. A draft order sanctioning the requests of the Swamigalu is submitted for approval.

23/Apl. 1918

First Member of Council

Submitted to His Highness.

I submit herewith a Final Note by the First *Member of Council on the subject of* the nomination of a successor by the Swamigalu of Sri Sivaganga Mutt, Nelamangala Taluk. *for His Highness' gracious approval.*

M. Visvesvaraya

Dewan.

26th April 1918.

Record of Cases submitted for the Orders of His Highness the Maharaja

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Subject.

Nomination of a successor by the Swamigalu of Sri Sivaganga Mutt, Nelamangala Taluk.

Order.

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JT Secretary (Mulgund)
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Issue accordingly
Submit to member for inform.
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Issued and put up agreeable for submn to 1st Member for perusal gth Ho orders

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Submitted

First Member)

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2.	To. D.C. Bangalore, Comptr. & Mus Supdt No 2792-4 dy 30.4.18 Approves the proposal of the Swamigalu of Sri Sivaganga Matt to give Sanyasa Asrama to Vedamurtu Rama Sesha Sastry with a to his eventual nomination as his successor. & Sanctions a sum of Rs 4000/- for expenses of the induction Ceremony the amount being met as follows Rs 2000/- debited to the funds of the matt Rs 2000/- to the funds of Sri Gangadhareswara Swami temple repayable in four equal annual instalments 2795 dy 30.4.18 Cpy of the above letter a Vigyapana Patrika to the Swamiga ...

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REPLY.

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DIARY No 1779

REV. SECRETARIAT. VII MUZRAI

Office of the Dewan of Mysore.

NOTE

Dated. 18th April . 191 8.

D.O. letter No.2100 dated the 17th April 1918 from the Huzur Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja, forwarding a letter from His Holiness the Swami of the Mutt Sivaganga regarding the future succession to that Mutt.

Forwarded, with compliments, to the First Member of Council, for favour of al necessary action in the matter. Perhaps, the formal sanction of His Highness has to be obtained in time to the proposed succession.

18.4.18

Rect 2 hrs 19/4.

Forwarded with compliments to the Hon'ble Muzrai Supdt. for immediate necessary action.

19/4/18

4 hrs

12 30 Noon 20/4/18.

Please take references for at once

Muzrai Supdt.

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The Palace, Mysore,
17th April 1916.

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D.O. 2100
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Dear Mr. Hiriyannaiya,

In forwarding enclosed letter dated the 14th Instant from His Holiness the Swami of Sivaganga, I am directed to say that His Highness has been pleased to tell His Holiness that all the requests made therein would be favourably considered and that he would hear from Government in due course.

His Holiness was also assured that his brother and Shankaranarayana Shrouti would, as requested, receive suitable promotions in the Palace Chamundi Thotty Bhakha or elsewhere. This however, is a matter which does not concern Government.

I am to request that necessary orders, with the approval of the Dewan, may kindly be passed on all matters, referred to in the Swami's letter with the exception of the promotions referred to in the preceding para of this letter.

Yours sincerely,
Mirza M. Ismail

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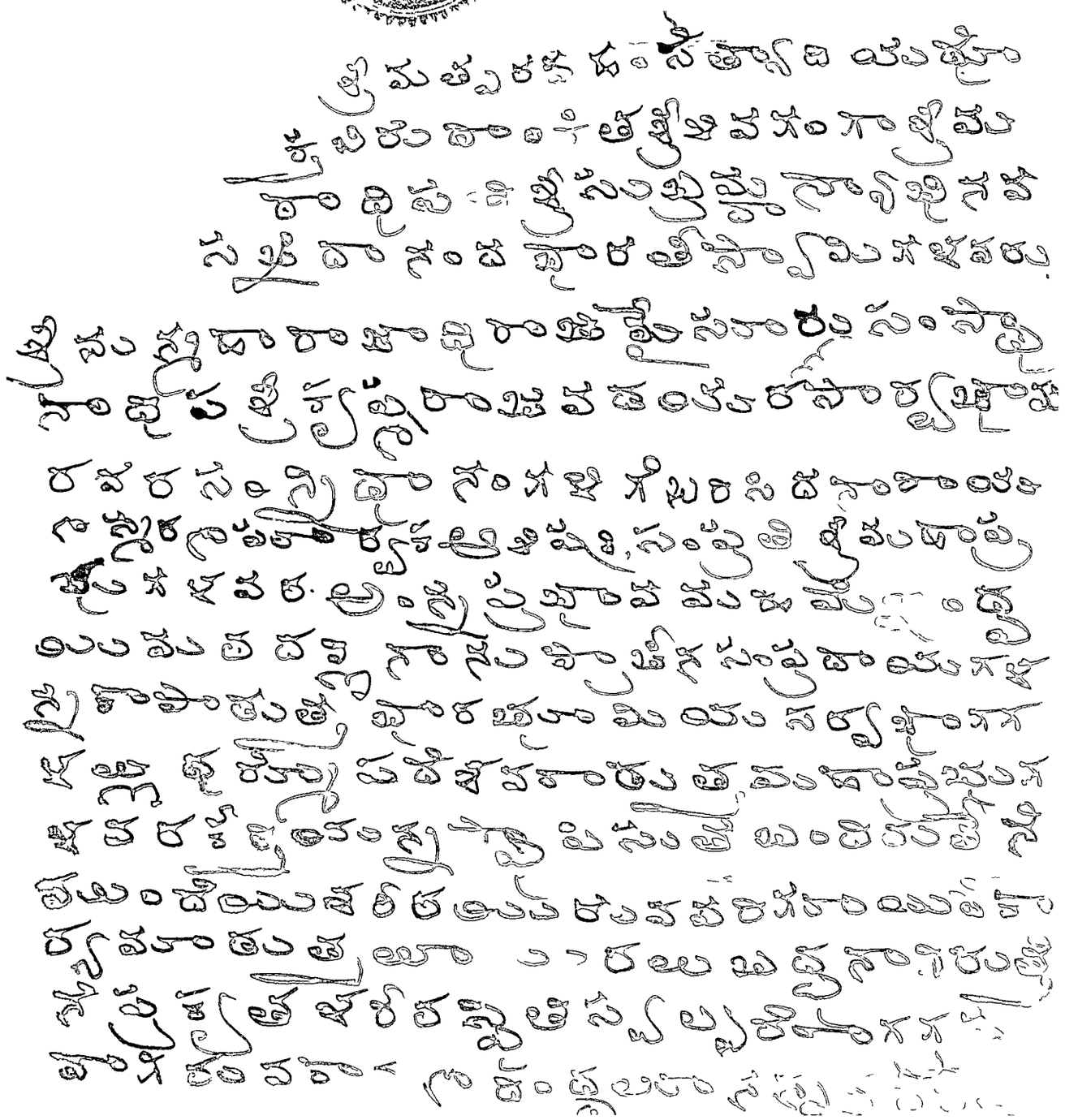

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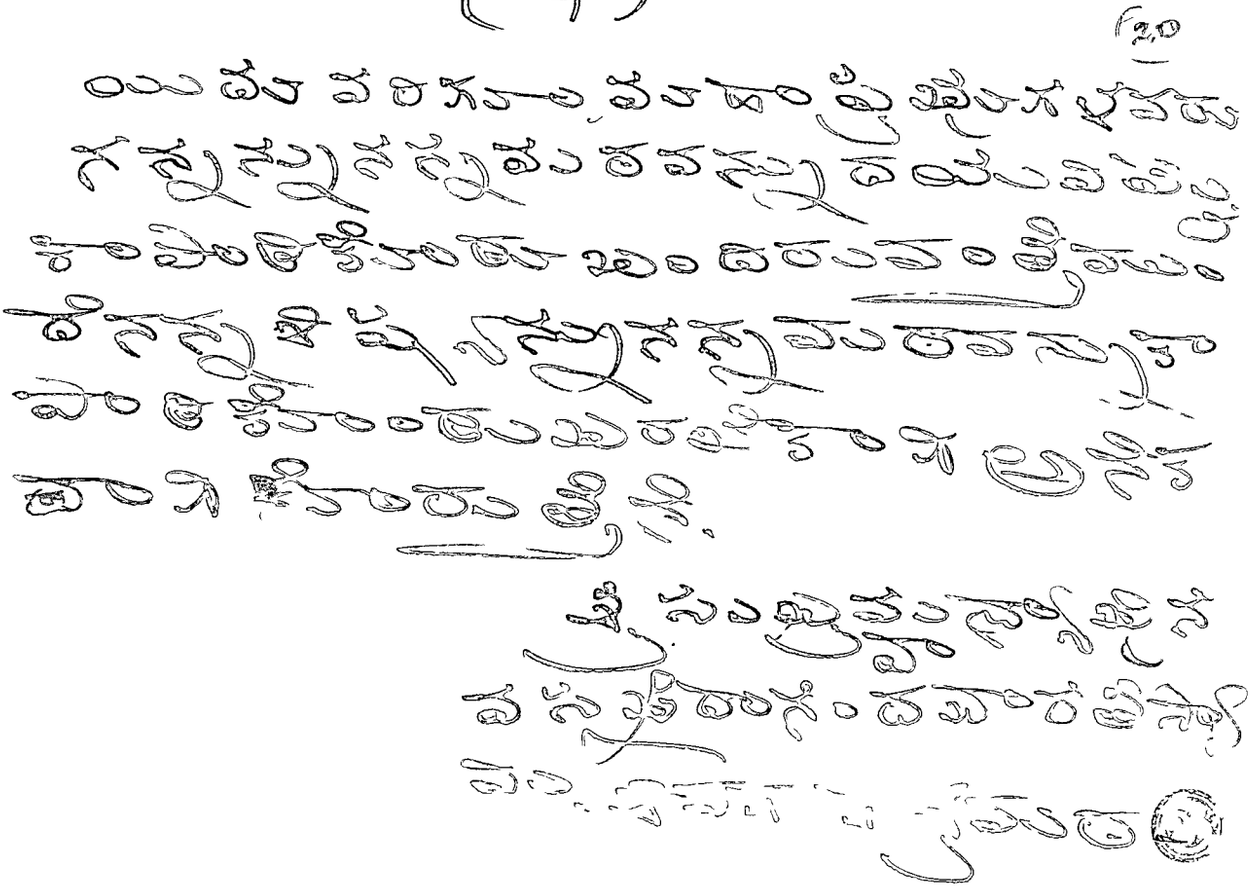

Statement showing the invested & uninvested balances of Sivaganga Mutt & Sri Gangadhareswaraswamy temples at Sivaganga.

1. Sri Sivagangai Mutt —	As 30.6.17 as per completed audited figures 2453-14-1		Invested in Mysore Govt. 4 o/o Loan 906.
2. Sri Gangadhareswaraswami temple		3323-15-8.	9000—0—0

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Branch) M.D.
20/4/18.

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SUBJECT... Approves the proposal of the Swamigalu of Sri Sivaganga Matt to give ~~the~~ Sanyasa Asrama to Ved. Rama Sesha Sastry with a view to his eventual nomination as his successor.

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Section
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Serial No.

Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore

Date of issue 30.6.1918

Signed by

Read.—

Srimukha Registered No.1779 dated 14th April 1918 from the Swamigalu of Sri Sivaganga Matt addressed to His Highness the Maharaja, intimating his desire to induct into ~~the~~ Sanyasa Asrama, Vedamurti Rama Sesha Sastry, son of Magadi Narayana Sastry residing in Sivaganga, with a view to nominate him as the future Guru of the Matt and educate and train him for the high position, and requesting that a sum of Rs.4,000/- may be sanctioned for the

over.

May this be

i Printed? Yes.

ii treated as a standing order?

iii published in the Gazette English part?

iv translated?

v placed at the disposal of the press?

vi published in the Gazette Kannada part?

~~Order Thereon:—No.~~

expenses of the induction ceremony which will be celebrated at Sivaganga on the 15th May.

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ORDER THEREON: NO. 2792-94/Cbms 571-17-2 dt 30 4 18

His Highness the Maharaja is pleased to approve of the choice of Ved. Rama Sesha Sastry who is now to be inducted into the Sanyasa Asrama, with a view to his eventual nomination as the future Guru of the Sri Sivaganga Matt.

2. As desired by the Swamigalu, a sum of Rs.4,000/- is sanctioned for the expenses of the induction ceremony, the amount being debited as hereunder indicated:--

List of enclosures.

Rs.2,000/- to the funds of Sri Sivaganga Matt.

Rs.2,000/- to the funds of Sri Gangadhareswara Swami temple, to be treated as an advance from the temple funds to the Matt. repayable from the fund of the latter in 4 annual instalments of Rs.500/- each.

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Examined by

3. The Comptroller to Government is requested to authorize the Amildar

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

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of the Nelamangala Taluk to draw the amount and pay it to the Swamigalu.

23.4.18

Joint Secretary to Govt.

Muzrai Department.

To

The Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District.

" Comptroller to Government.

" Muzrai Superintendent in Mysore.

Copy, with a Vignapana Patrika, to the Swamigalu, Sri Sivaganga Matt.

Memo no 2795—
Mo 71.571-17-2
Encls 1 d. 30.4.18

శ్రీ ముల్లపూడి వెంకట కృష్ణారావు
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వారి ఉత్తరం నెం. 1799 తేదీ 14.4.18 గల
ఉత్తరానికి సంబంధించిన ఫైలు ఈ
శాఖలో లేదని తెలియజేయడమైనది.

Bangalore,
30-4-18

for Joint Secretary
Muzrai Dept.

Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

Read.-

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Dated, [illegible] 30th [illegible]

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Amildar of the Nelamangala Taluk to draw the amount and pay it to the Swamigalu.

Joint Secretary to Government,
Rural Department.

To

The Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District.
The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore.
The Rural Superintendent in Mysore.

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Nomination as Successor.

No. 2792-94—Muz. 571-17-2, dated 30th April 1918.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

GENERAL AND REVENUE DEPARTMENTS.

Read—

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Order No. 2792-94—Muz. 571-17-2, dated 30th April 1918.

His Highness the Maharaja is pleased to approve of the choice of Vedamurti Rama Sesha Sastri who is now to be inducted into the *Sanyasa Asrama*, with a view to his eventual nomination as the future Guru of the Sri Sivaganga Matt.

2. As desired by the Swamigalu, a sum of Rs. 4,000 is sanctioned for the expenses of the induction ceremony, the amount being debited as hereunder indicated.—

Rupees 2,000 to the funds of Sri Sivaganga Matt.

Rupees 2,000 to the funds of Sri Gangadhareswaraswami temple, to be treated as an advance from the temple funds to the Matt repayable from the fund of the latter in 4 annual instalments of Rs. 500 each

3. The Comptroller to Government is requested to authorise the Amildar of the Nelamangala Taluk to draw the amount and pay it to the Swamigalu.

G. ARAVAMUDU IYENGAR,
Joint Secy. to Govt., Muz. Dept.

To—The Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District
The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore.
The Muzrai Superintendent in Mysore.

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Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

GENERAL AND REVENUE DEPARTMENT

G. O. No. 2792-94—Muz. 571-17-2, dated 30th April 1918

Nomination as Successor

Approves of the proposal of the Swamigalu of Sri Sivaganga Matt to give Sanyasa Asrama to Vedamurti Rama Sesha Sastri, with a view to his eventual

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